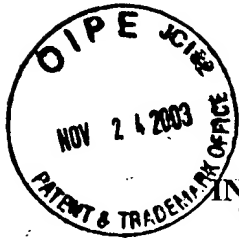


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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116 TO
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action, mailed September 24, 2003, Applicant respectfully requests that the amendments set forth below be entered and further requests reconsideration of the rejections set forth in the Office Action in light of these amendments and the remarks below.

As the two-month shortened statutory period for reply is due November 24, 2003, this Response is therefore considered timely filed.

AMENDMENTS

Please enter the following replacement claims, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(c), each replacement claim number replaces the correspondingly numbered prior pending claim. This Response is made according to the revised procedure promulgated in the Official Gazette on February 25, 2003. All pending claims, whether previously added, rewritten, canceled or amended, have been reproduced below for the convenience of the Examiner.

The Claim Amendments begin on Page 3 of this Response.

Remarks begin on Page 7 of this Response.